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## HOLIDAY HAPPENINGS AT THE NEEDHAM SENIOR CENTER

#### WEIGHT WATCHERS 12 WEEKS

Wednesdays • 12:00 - 1:00 pm Registration January 7, 2009 Class begins January 14 - April 8, 2009 Cost for the 12 weeks is \$144.00

At the Needham Senior Center

January is here and for many of us the New Year brings new resolutions. If weight loss is high on your list this year, let Weight Watchers help you to lose weight and feel great. We will offer support to one another with good humor as we struggle to win the Battle of the Bulge! We will have a private weigh-in each week and the group coach will keep us motivated by suggesting various food options and providing helpful tips on the value of exercise. To sign-up or to obtain further information call Sherry at the Needham Senior Center, 781-455-7555.

#### PLAY READING GROUP NOW FORMING

Would you like to join us for a fun afternoon of play reading? No experience is necessary, simply a love for reading plays and a desire to have great fun. Once we have enough members we will begin to hold the group on Wednesdays at 1:00 pm. If you are interested in this group or would like further information please contact Sherry Jackson at the Needham Senior Center, 781-455-7555.

## LUNCH AND LEARN, THERE IS A BRIDGE

Tuesday, January 20, 2009 12:00 pm

Sign-up required.

There is no cost for this program.

Presenter, Judith Chaloux, will share with you the wonderful gifts of this documentary. Judith will discuss some of the common issues that arise for those who are touched by someone with Alzheimer's disease. There Is a Bridge includes interviews with preeminent thinkers and poignant footage of family members, care partners, and schoolchildren building emotionally rich relationships with people with dementia, revealing depths of memory and personal identity not erased by Alzheimer's. You too can find a bridge! Lunch to follow the event. Judith Chaloux is the bereavement coordinator at Deacon Hospital.

## A BOOK READING PRESENTATION

Tuesday, January 27th • 12:30 pm

At the Needham Senior Center There is no cost for this program.

The Creative Writing group has been meeting for the past 3 years. Please join us as members of the group read aloud to the audience, excerpts from their first book. The book is called, "Our Stories" and is now available for sale at a reduced rate of \$5.00. You may purchase a book at any time or on the day of the book reading. Please join us on the 27th as we hear the authors read their works.



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The mission of The Needham Council on Aging is to respond to its older residents' needs by providing a welcoming, inclusive, and secure environment where individuals and families benefit from programs, services and resources that enhance their quality of life and provide opportunities for growth.

#### **GOOD NEWS!**

Carol Ditmore is now a member of the FONE board. Carol has been an active volunteer throughout the town and we are privileged to have her join us! We also welcome Roma Jean Brown as the representative from the Council on Aging Board. Roma has been a part of the COA for many years and we welcome her experience and wisdom.

#### DEAR FRIENDS,

The present economy requires that many of us tighten our belts a little in 2009, and FONE is no exception. We want to reduce our expenses as much as possible. At present, we are sending the Senior Compass to over 4,000 households, and we know that most of you enjoy it. However, there may be some that do not want the Compass right now, receive duplicates, or would like to have it delivered by e-mail.

We are asking each household to notify us if you wish to continue receiving the Senior Compass each month and how you would like your copy delivered.

#### TO CONTINUE TO RECEIVE THE SENIOR COMPASS, YOU MUST RESPOND.

#### You may:

- I. E-mail us at needhamfone@comcast.net.
- 2. Send in the card that is available below.
- 3. Call the Senior Center at 781-455-7555.
- 4. Fill out a card available at the Senior Center reception desk.

We apologize for this inconvenience. However, with your help, we can continue to finance the Senior Compass.

Thank you, in advance, for your cooperation.

### Jan, Pat, Eileen, Sylvia, Ann, Isabel, Mike, Jay, Carol, Roma

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#### Thank you for your help!!

#### FREE LEGAL ASSISTANCE

BOSTON COLLEGE ELDER LAW PROJECT Friday, January 30, 2009

A law student, for the Elder Law Project of Boston College Legal will take confidential individual appointments at the Needham Senior Center. To make an appointment, call 781-455-7555.

#### DEAR FRIENDS,

Today I had the opportunity to attend a meeting with colleagues from Councils on Aging throughout the state, the Massachusetts Council on Aging, the Executive Office of Elder Affairs and the Office of Elder Health. The agenda was packed and included discussion on some interesting and forward thinking initiatives that are being discussed as we look to immediate and long range goals of the aging service network. There were some themes that bear mentioning. First, Councils on Aging are the only public social service agency for adults in nearly all cities and towns in the commonwealth. What this means is that we are often the agency that people come to when they have need for support and information and in many instances we act as silent partners to public safety. Second, it is important to note that of all direct services recorded by Councils on Aging in FY 2007 15.5% were provided to persons under the age of 60 who might contact us on behalf of a neighbor, parent, loved one out of state or have questions and concerns themselves and don't know where else to go. Therefore, we should remember that Council on Aging Departments promote wellness on many levels and act as a focal point for health for people of all ages. We look forward to continuing our service to all of you in the year to come.



#### IT'S FRIDAY ENTERTAINMENT LIVE WITH **BILLY BRUSO**

Friday, January 23rd • 1:30 - 2:30 pm

At the Needham Senior Center Sign-up is required.

Guitar, Harmonica and Vocals... Billy Bruso's performance will provide a terrific afternoon of country and western music. He always welcomes requests, saying, "I know thousands of songs by memory". Please join us for a fun afternoon which will include dessert and refreshments! Please call 781-455-7555 to sign up.

#### FRIENDS DONATIONS

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• In Memory of Betty Nowell

#### MONDAY'S LUNCH BUNCH

Due to the increased interest in our LUNCH BUNCH program, please be sure to SIGN UP by calling 781-455-7555.

> Monday, January 5 Rice Barn

Monday, January 12 Wild Willy's

Monday, January, 19 **CLOSED** 

Monday, January 26 Village Fish

Meet at the Senior Center at 11:30am. The suggested donation of \$5.00 to cover expenses will be changed to \$1.00 when we stay within the Town of Needham. You will pay the cost of your meal at the restaurant. To sign up call 781-455-7555. Enjoy!!

#### MOVIES AT 1:00 PM

at the Needham Senior Center

Monday, January 5th The Wayward Daughter

Monday, January 12th Peyton Place (1957)

Friday, January 2nd Charade (1963)

Friday, January 9th Falling in Love (1984)

Friday, January 16th Princess Ida (1980)

Friday, January 30th Mamma Mia (2008)

#### **VOLUNTEERS** SOUGHT

- Meal site Volunteer: Weekday(s) 10:00am - 12:30pm
- B.A.G.S. Shopper Assistant
- Friendly Visitor
- Teach computers
- · Lead a foreign language discussion group

For information please contact Penny Gordon at 781-455-7555  $\times$  204.

## BALLROOM DANCING LESSONS – THE WALTZ, A 4-WEEK CLASS

Tuesdays, 2:00-3:00 pm January 6, 13, 20, 27, 2009 Sign-up required.

The Council on Aging would like to thank the Needham YMCA for letting us use this space in order to hold this wonderful program. A new four-week ballroom dancing class will be held on Tuesdays between 2:00-3:00 pm at the YMCA, 380 Chestnut St. The cost is \$16 for all four sessions. Please wear shoes that allow movement on a wood floor best if not rubber soles. If you are a new student, to sign-up call Sherry Jackson at the Needham Senior Center, 781-455-7555.

## BASIC-LEVEL SPANISH

Tuesdays, 9:00-10:00 am Begins on January 13th At the Needham Senior Center

Sign-up suggested.

This class is for individuals who have little or no previous experience with the Spanish language. The class is instructional and conversational. This class guarantees to give you the tools to learn Spanish and also proves to be great fun for all. Our thanks to Rosa for taking time out of her busy schedule to volunteer/teach at the COA. There is no fee for this class. For more information, please call Sherry Jackson, 781-455-7555.

#### SONGSTERS Update

The initial meeting for the Songsters will take place on Wednesday, February 11, 2009 at 10:30 am in the Yellow Room.

#### ART HISTORY FEATURING ALEXANDER CALDER

Wednesday, February 4th • 10:30 am

Location: Offsite at Avery Crossings, 110 West Street

A suggested cost of \$4.00 paid at the door

We would like to thank Avery Crossings for hosting this program. Jane Blair, an art educator and founder of Art Matters, will present the program. Alexander Calder was born in Pennsylvania, and he was the third generation of successful sculptors. From the time he was a small boy, he was always making "stuff"; toys, utensils, and objects out of bits of string, wire, buttons, cloth, wood and tin. He always had a sense of whimsy about his objects and invented the "Mobile"; a way to compose colorful shapes, and fine lines moving in a constantly changing arrangement. He is also known for creating and performing his own circus. Join us for a whimsical look into the world of Calder.

#### TAI CHI MODIFIED AN 8-WEEK CLASS

Mondays • 9-10 am • January 5 - March 9, 2009

At the Needham Senior Center

Sign-up is required and is on the first day of class

Participants can either stand or sit on a chair while doing the Tai Chi exercises. Tai Chi is a slow-motion, moving, meditative exercise for relaxation, and health. No experience is necessary. Wear loose, comfortable clothing. Fee for the eight-week course is \$32. To sign up call 781-455-7555.

#### SENIOR STRENGTH EXERCISE CLASS – EACH SESSIONS IS 8 WEEKS

Session I is on Mondays, 10:15 - 11:15 am January 12 - March 23, 2009 Session II is on Fridays, 9:00 - 10:00 am January 9 - March 6, 2009

At the Needham Senior Center

Sign-up is required and is on the first day of class

These classes are designed to accommodate mature individuals of various fitness levels and abilities and can be adapted to meet the particular needs of any of the participants. This seated class will begin with a thorough warm-up followed by strength training exercises for all the major muscle groups of the body using light hand weights and conclude with gentle stretching exercises to increase flexibility and reduce muscle tension. Pearl, the leader of this class, is on staff at Newton-Wellesley Hospital's Wellness Center. Since 2003 she has specialized in fitness for older adults. The cost for one eight week session is \$32.00 and for both sessions the cost is \$64.00. To sign-up call 781-455-7555.

#### **WINTER HAS ARRIVED!!**

#### **Guidelines to Consider**

Tune in to your radio or T.V. If the Needham schools are closed, the Senior Center is also closed. If the schools have a two-hour delay, the Senior Center follows and will open at 10:30 a.m. If you have any doubt that the Senior Center is open, simply call us at (781) 455-7555. You will either talk to a staff person or hear a message giving you the pertinent information.

## HELP THE FRIENDS SAVE \$\$ ON PAPER AND POSTAGE!!

Sign-up today to receive your Compass by email. Please contact Sherry Jackson at 781-455-7555 or sjackson@town.needham.ma.us.

## THE ARTHRITIS FOUNDATION EXERCISE PROGRAM WITH LISA CADIGAN

Session I Tuesday, 2:00 – 3:00 pm January 27 – March 24, 2009

At the Needham Senior Center Cost for 8 weeks is \$32.00

Session II
Thursday, 2:00 – 3:00 pm
January 29 - March 19, 2009
At the YMCA, 380 Chestnut Street
Cost for 8 weeks is \$32.00

#### Sign-up for either class is on the first day of class

The Council on Aging would like to thank the Needham YMCA for making space available to us. The Needham COA in collaboration with the Arthritis Foundation is pleased to offer this important exercise class. This class is designed specifically for persons with rheumatic disease, taking into consideration the pain, fatigue, and decreased strength which often accompanies arthritis. The program content includes: Range-of-motion exercises (includes Flexibility, Strengthening exercises, Endurance activities, Weight-bearing activities, Balance and coordination activities, Posture and body mechanics training, Body awareness activities, Breathing exercises, Relaxation exercises, Health education, Practical tips, and Activities to promote self-care). The general guidelines can be found on the Arthritis Foundation website – www.arthritisfoundation.org. The cost for one 8 week session is \$32 and for both sessions the cost is \$64. To sign up call 781-455-7555.

## IS THERE A SHUTTLE IN OUR FUTURE? TAKE THE GREEN NEEDHAM TRANSPORTATION SURVEY AND HELP US FIND OUT.

One way to make Needham a "greener" place is to reduce the number of cars on the road. That's why the Green Needham Transportation Study Group recently put together a questionnaire to explore the possibility of a shuttle bus in town. The service would transport residents to popular Needham destinations, including the commuter rail, shopping and medical areas, and after school programs. By early spring, the group hopes to have gathered enough data to apply for the Suburban Mobility Grant, which would provide up to \$250,000 over three years to help fund a shuttle bus. Your opinion is important to this process. Questionnaire forms can be obtained and dropped off at the Needham Senior Center. For more information or to complete the form online, go to www.greenneedham.org. Look for the news article, "Is There a Shuttle in Our Future?" and click on "Take the Transportation Survey." As thanks for completing the questionnaire, your name will be entered in a raffle to win a \$50 gift certificate to Roche Bros. Deadline to submit questionnaire: January 15, 2009.

## LECTURE: THE DTV CONVERTER BOX, WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Presented by Marc Mandel from the Needham Cable Channel

Tuesday, January 6, 2008 • 1:30 pm

At the Needham Senior Center

Please join us to learn what you need to know regarding the Digital Conversion Box for your television. A digital-to-analog converter box is a signal to your existing analog television set. These boxes will cost between \$50 - \$70 and are available for purchase. U.S. households can request up to two coupons valued at \$40 each. Each coupon can go toward the purchase of a single set-top converter box. To obtain an application/request form for the coupons, come to the presentation or contact the Council on Aging Outreach department: at 781-455-7555.

#### MAH JONG CLASS

At the Needham Senior Center

Interested in learning mah jong? It is a strategic game, and once you have learned the rules, the ability to excel is limitless. After four sessions at the Needham Senior Center, 83 Pickering St., you will know if mah jong is for you. The class, taught by an experienced teacher, is four sessions at a cost of \$16 total, payable at the first session. To register, call 781-455-7555.

## TRIP PLANNING MEETING

Tuesday, January 13th 1:15 pm Snow Date is Wednesday, January 21st at 1:15 pm

At the Needham Senior Center

Please join us for our annual Trip Planning Meeting. We will have gathered information on as many trips as we can find that fall within a reasonable price range (\$65 or under) and we will make a list for your consideration. When we have chosen approximately 15-20 trips, we will go to work and try to come as close as possible to your choices. We'd like to encourage lots of people to attend this meeting at 1:15 pm in the Yellow Room, so that we can come up with a program that will attract as many passengers

#### COMPASS NEWSLETTER LABELING AND COLLATING

as we can.

#### Tuesday, January 20th 9:15 am

At the Needham Senior Center Please join us for a morning of light work and good fun, while we prepare the newsletter for mailing!



SENIOR CENTER DROP-IN HOURS: 9:00 am - 4:00 pm Monday thru Friday

## BOUTIQUE UPDATE

The Friends of the Needham Elderly would like to thank you for donating items to our annual boutique and bake sale which brought in over \$1,600.00.

#### TAX COUNSELING TO BEGIN IN FEBRUARY, 2009

#### Sponsored by AARP and the COA

For a confidential appointment with a trained counselor, call the Needham Senior Center at (781) 455-7555. Counselors are trained by the IRS. On the day of your appointment, please bring the following three items with you:

#I A copy of your 2008 tax return.

#2 All income statements received including Social Security.

#3 Any state or federal tax forms you received in the mail.

## LECTURE: LOCAL TAX RELIEF – EXEMPTIONS AND DEFERRALS FROM LOCAL REAL ESTATE TAXES

Wednesday, January 14, 2009 • 1:00 pm

Did you know that you may qualify to receive an exemption from a portion of your local property tax bill? There are a number of options available through the Town of Needham including a tax work off program. To learn more please join us for a presentation by Chip Davis, Director for the Assessor's Department for the Town of Needham.

#### CHINESE NEW YEAR LUNCHEON

Monday, January 26th • 1:30

At the Needham Senior Center

Tickets must be purchased by Thursday, January 22nd Cost is \$7.00 per person.

Tickets can be purchased at the Needham Senior Center • Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm

Join us as we celebrate the Chinese New Year, celebrating the year of the Earth OX. The OX is the sign of prosperity through fortitude and hard work. We will offer a buffet of favorite Chinese dishes.

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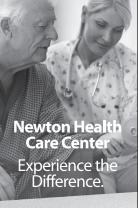
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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
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9:00 Tai Chi Class 10:00 Walking Club 11:30 Lunch Bunch: Rice Barn 11:45 Lunch: Chicken or Ham and Swiss Sandwich 1:00 Bridge – Men 1:00 Friends of Needham Elderly 1:00 Movie: The Wayward Daughter	9:15 Bridge – Women 10:30 Current Events 11:45 Lunch: Baked Crumb Macaroni and Cheese or Roast Beef and Cheese Sandwich 12:30 Ping Pong 1:00 Bridge – Men 1:30 Lecture: DTV Converter Box 1:30 Cribbage – Women 2:00 Ballroom Dancing #1 2:00 Exercise with Lisa	9:00 Exercise 9:00 Keep Well Clinic 10:00 Hearts Card Game 11:45 Lunch: Hot Dog or Tuna Salad on Lettuce 12:00 Weight Watchers 1:00 Bridge – Men 2:30 Better Balance	9:30 Piano Lessons 10:00 Knitting 10:00 Whist 11:45 Lunch: Salmon Fish or Chef Salad 12:00 Computer Lessons 12:30 Ping Pong 1:00 Bridge – Duplicate 1:00 Cribbage – Men 2:00 Exercise with Lisa #1	9:00 Exercise with Pearl 10:30 Exercise 11:45 Lunch: Stuffed Cabbage or Turkey Salad Sandwich 12:00 Computer Lessons 1:00 Board Games 1:00 Bridge – Men 1:00 Movie: Falling in Love	
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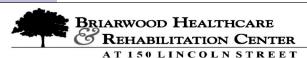


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